

Orders for pay-  
ment of road  
funds.

mission, and he shall enter into a bond in such sum as said commission may decide, which bond upon approval by the said commission shall be recorded by the Register of Deeds of Surry County in the book of official bonds, and filed in his office. That the treasurer of said commission shall make payments out of the road funds belonging to the said township only upon the written order of the said commission, signed by the chairman and the secretary of said commission, and a strict record of each order drawn shall be kept, showing the object for which issued.

Collection of  
taxes.

SEC. 6. That said commission shall authorize the Sheriff of Surry County, or tax collector of said county, to collect all the taxes levied under this act, and he shall be entitled to the same fees as are allowed sheriffs and tax collectors of North Carolina for collecting taxes. The sheriff or tax collector shall be liable for all moneys so collected, and the sheriff's or tax collector's bondsmen given for the county shall be and they are hereby declared liable for all township funds handled under this act, and the said commission may require the sheriff or tax collector to give an additional bond.

Fees.

Officers liable on  
bonds.

Moneys paid over  
to road treasurer.

SEC. 7. That all road taxes for Westfield Township which hereafter may be collected by the Sheriff of Surry County, or tax collector of said county, shall be paid over to the treasurer of the said commission, who shall give a receipt therefor, and all moneys derived from the sale of bonds hereinafter provided for shall also be turned over to the said treasurer. That the said sheriff or tax collector shall pay over promptly all road taxes collected by him, and shall at no time retain any portion of said taxes which may come into his hands, and that the said sheriff or tax collector shall not apply any of said money coming into his hands under this act to the payment of any other claim which may be drawn on him, but shall keep the road taxes collected in the Westfield Township separate, and shall pay them to the treasurer of said commission as aforesaid. The sheriff or tax collector shall be required to settle in full with the treasurer of said commission not later than December the twenty-fifth of each year, and shall pay over sooner if same shall be in his hands.

Settlements.

Final settlement.

Election and  
compensation of  
superintendent.

SEC. 8. That the said commission may at its first meeting, or as soon thereafter as practicable, elect some competent, experienced, and discreet person to be superintendent of all the public roads in the said township, and such superintendent shall hold office during the pleasure of said commission electing him, and he shall be entitled to such compensation as may be fixed by said commission. Said commission shall also have the power to employ one or more competent road engineers, fix their compensation, and prescribe their duties, and the term of such employment shall be during the pleasure of said commission. That the said commission shall also have the power to employ such other persons as may be deemed

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